

## BEAVERTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

# GENERAL ORDER

NUMBER: 5.06.00  
SUBJECT: USE OF PERSONAL VEHICLE  
EFFECTIVE: AUGUST 1, 1999  
REVIEW: AUGUST 2002, 2005, 2008

1. AUTHORIZATION. All members must have the specific approval of the Chief of Police or a supervisor before using their own or other privately owned vehicle for Department business.
2. LIABILITY. Employees who use their own vehicle are legally responsible should an accident occur, and their automobile insurance is primary.
3. VEHICLE CONDITION. Employees who use their personal vehicles for City service shall provide a vehicle which is in good repair.
4. INTENDED USE. Pickup trucks, campers and motorcycles shall not be used when conducting investigations or representing the department unless such vehicle is being used as a "cover". Officers shall not use a private vehicle for the enforcement of traffic laws.

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Chief of Police

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Date